

## DJIBOUTI

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developing regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Sub-Saharan Africa
United Nations:	Africa	Other UN country groupings:	
Bureau (UNHCR):	East and Horn of Africa	Least Developed Country	
Region (UNHCR):	East and Horn of Africa		

## A. REFUGEES, ASYLUM-SEEKERS AND OTHERS OF CONCERN TO UNHCR

## 1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year

Category	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Refugees*	33,406	27,310	25,076	23,590	23,582	23,271	23,243	23,176	21,702	27,034
Asylum-seekers**	-	-	1,613	11	292	412	412	469	462	1,660
Returned refugees***	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	458	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Various/others	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	..	23,601	23,874	23,683	23,657	24,103	22,164	28,694

\* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries. \*\* Pending applications. 1994-1995: data available for industrialized countries only. \*\*\* Also based on country of asylum reports.

## 2. Refugees--displacement and durable solutions during the year

Category	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
<b>Arrivals</b>										
Prima facie/group basis	461	2,214	1,628	183	-	40	1,100	-	-	-
Individually recognized*	-	-	327	183	112	-	-	9	-	1,664
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Durable solutions</b>										
Voluntary repatriation**	10,126	23,936	4,206	223	1,276	328	2,848	165	2,121	247
Resettlement	17	45	55	126	92	248	126	144	25	2
Naturalization	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

\* Includes Convention status and allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons, first instance and appeal. 1994-1995: industrialized countries only. \*\* Also based on country of return reports.

## 3. Asylum and refugee status determination during the year (incl. appeal/review)

Category	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
New applications	-	-	2,036	539	2,000	120	-	120	-	3,062
1951 Convention status	-	-	327	183	112	-	-	9	-	1,664
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Responsibility (2003): Government

## 4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
<b>Refugees</b>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	38.8	31.7	29.1	27.4	27.4	27.0	27.0	26.9	25.2	31.4
Per 1,000 inhabitants	48.2	39.4	36.2	34.1	34.0	33.6	33.6	33.5	31.3	39.0
Per 1,000 km <sup>2</sup>	1,535.1	1,255.0	1,152.3	1,084.0	1,083.7	1,069.4	1,068.1	1,065.0	997.3	1,242.3
<b>Total population of concern to UNHCR</b>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	..	27.4	27.7	27.5	27.5	28.0	25.7	33.3
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	..	34.1	34.5	34.2	34.2	34.8	32.0	41.4
Per 1,000 km <sup>2</sup>	..	..	..	1,084.6	1,097.1	1,088.3	1,087.1	1,107.6	1,018.5	1,318.6

\* Refugees and Total population of concern to UNHCR: annual estimates (Table A.1). Figures for GDP per capita, national population and land area are the most recent available estimates.

## B. DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS, LOCATION, LEGAL BASIS AND RECOGNITION, END OF 2003

## 1. Population of concern to UNHCR--demographic characteristics\*

Sex	<5	5-17	18-59	60+>	Various	Total	<5 (%)	5-17 (%)	18-59 (%)	60+> (%)	F/M (%)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

\* May not reflect the total population of concern to UNHCR.

## 2. Population of concern--location\*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	30,837
Urban	-
Dispersed/various	-
Total	30,837
Camps/centers	100%
Urban	0%

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## 3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	-
1969 OAU Convention	27,034
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	-
Total	27,034
1951 Convention	0%

\* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

## 4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	25,370
Individually recognized	1,664
Other/unknown	-
Total	27,034
Prima facie (group)	94%
Individually recognized	6%

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## C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN DJIBOUTI -- MAIN ORIGIN

## 1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2003)

Origin*	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Somalia	20,602	21,321	23,010	21,546	21,615	21,648	21,698	21,712	20,251	25,474
Ethiopia	12,798	5,979	2,046	2,000	1,924	1,582	1,508	1,428	1,445	1,554

\* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

## 2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2003 -- 1994-95 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Origin	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Somalia	..	..	400	50	672	23	-	10	-	1,921
Ethiopia	..	..	1,600	482	1,314	97	-	110	-	1,070
Eritrea	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64

## D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM DJIBOUTI -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

## 1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2003)

Asylum country*	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Canada	55	57	56	75	134	271	238	301	312	318
Ethiopia	18,000	18,000	18,000	8,000	3,000	1,503	1,560	60	55	62
Other	13	38	45	67	85	105	112	91	104	142
Total	18,068	18,095	18,101	8,142	3,219	1,879	1,910	452	471	522

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## 2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2003 -- 1994-95 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Asylum country	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Belgium	-	3	2	3	91	73	213	104	86	130
France	13	8	2	6	23	11	19	14	27	20
Other	55	32	25	30	357	85	213	139	40	28
Total	68	43	29	39	471	169	445	257	153	178

## E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN DJIBOUTI -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2003

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Ali-Adde	CAM	12,860
Hol-Hol	CAM	9,630
Aour-Aoussa	CAM	8,350

Location name	Type*	Total
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## F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR DJIBOUTI

